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SUBJECT: DEBT RELIEF AND AID TO INDIA CONSORTIUM

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(D) TOKYO 4642, (E) LONDON 5446, (F) LONDON 4698

1. HMG SOURCES HAVE INDICATED THAT IBRD OFFICIALS
HAVE TOLD THEM CONFIDENTIALLY AND INFORMALLY THAT
JAPANESE WILL NOT PARTICIPATE IN DEBT RESCHEDULING FOR
INDIA IF THE US DOES NOT. WHILE UK WILL NOT OFFICIALLY
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TAKE ACCOUNT OF THIS SITUATION UNTIL CONFIRMED BY UK

EMBASSY TOKYO, IT IS BOUND TO HAVE AN IMPACT ON THEIR REVIEW OF FFX/DEBT RESCHEDULING QUESTION. IN OUR TALKS WITH HMT AND ODM OFFICIALS ON THIS SUBJECT THEY HAVE REPEATEDLY EXPRESSED FEAR THAT US MOVE AWAY FROM DEBT RESCHEDULING WOULD RESULT IN OTHER DONORS, ESPECIALLY JAPAN AND FRANCE, REVERTING TO HARDER TERMS.

2. IT WOULD BE USEFUL TO HAVE FURTHER INDICATION OF POSSIBLE FLEXIBILITY IN JAPANESE POSITION AS SUGGESTED IN APRIL 4 CONVERSATION WITH SEZAKI FOR USE IN OUR TALKS WITH HMG OFFICIALS.

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